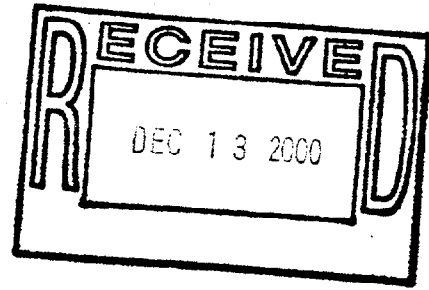




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Office of Special Nutritionals (HF-450)  
Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition  
Food and Drug Administration  
200 C Street SW  
Washington, DC 20204

Re: 21 U.S.C. Section 343(r)(6), Notification of Statements on Dietary Supplements

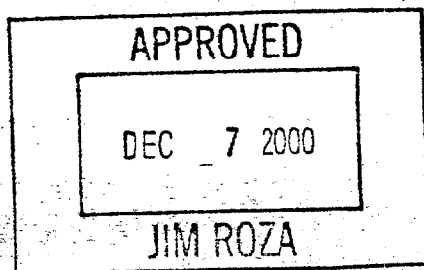
Dear Sir/Madam:

I hereby notify the Food and Drug Administration ("FDA") of the use of statements of nutritional support in the labeling of Glucosamine Sulfate, a joint health product.

Statements being made in the labeling of Glucosamine Sulfate

- (1) Glucosamine is an amino sugar derived from the chitin of shellfish. It is utilized by the body to support healthy joint structures.

To the best of my knowledge, and based upon information and belief present at the time of the executing of this notice, I certify that the above information is accurate and complete. Now Foods possesses substantiation that the statements are truthful and not misleading.



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